



Friends of the Preston Ridge Trail

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Friends of Preston Ridge Newsletter (#10)

HOA Officers, Neighborhood Leaders, and Members of the Friends of the Preston Ridge Trail:

Please take note of a few upcoming events/opportunities in the coming weeks involving the Preston Ridge Trail:

Major Planting Event Schedule For Saturday, November 18th

You, your neighbors, and community groups are invited to join the Friends of the Preston Ridge Trail on 11/18 from 9:15am until 3pm as we plant 250 trees along the Trail. The work begins at the corner of Meandering Way and La Manga. You can arrive at the beginning or throughout the day and join other volunteers and City of Dallas work crews with this important activity. Last Fall, a church group planted 400 trees, and when you walk, jog, or ride along the Trail you can see the terrific results. Feel free to come for an hour or longer, dress in yard clothes, and join the fun. If you have shovels, clippers, or other gardening tools, please bring them along. For more information, please contact Rod Scales at 972-679-8359.

2006 Annual Meeting of the Friends Scheduled for Saturday, December 9th

You are invited to attend the Annual Meeting of the Friends of the Preston Ridge Trail, which will occur at 4pm on Saturday, December 9, at the Campbell Green Rec Center, at the corner of Campbell and Park Hill. As a 501 (c)(3) non profit corporation, the organization must hold an Annual Meeting. No major announcements are expected, but there will be an update about the delay in beginning construction of Phase II of the Trail. The core reason is due to one open legal issue between the City of Dallas and TXU regarding liability along the Trail.



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Volunteer Groups Needed to Help With Watering

With hundreds of additional trees about to be planted along the Trail, the Friends is once again seeking volunteer groups to take on watering responsibilities for portions of the Trail. A local church group has been watering as a community service project. Highlands North HOA has already agreed to take on a section of the Trail where the additional trees will be planted. The task takes only a few hours per month and is an ideal volunteer project for a school group, HOA, Boy Scout troupe, etc. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Rod Scales at 972-679-8359.

Thank you for your interest in the Preston Ridge Trail and support in time and funds. Please continue to visit the Trail website (www.prestonridgetrail.org) and call the InfoLine at 972-770-0436 for updated information about the Trail.

On behalf of the Board of the Friends,

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